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In re application of: JUNG-GI KIM

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For: PROGRAM UPGRADING APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR FIRMWARE BOARD

**TRANSMITTAL OF DECLARATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This transmittal accompanies a fax copy of Declaration with the signature by the inventors, for the above-captioned application. A substitute Declaration with the inventors' signature will be filed upon receipt of the Serial No. for the above-captioned application.

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1999-21353 (Number)	Republic of Korea (Country)	09/06/1999 (Day/Month/Year Filed)
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